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POLICE INVESTIGATE SHOOTING DEATH IN OAK PARK NEIGHBORHOOD

(San Diego) San Diego Police Department Homicide Unit detectives are investigating the shooting death of a male in Oak Park early this morning.

At 1:59 a.m., police officers received a radio call of a "shots fired" at 5400 Bayview Heights Place. Officers arrived to find a 44-year-old male suffering from multiple gunshots wounds. The victim was transported to a local trauma center for treatment, but was pronounced dead at 2:27 a.m. The suspect's identity is being withheld pending notification of next of kin.

The motive for the crime is not known at this time. The suspects have been described as two African American males, 5'8" to 5'10" tall, with a thin build. One of the suspects is described as wearing a dark hooded sweatshirt, while the other is described as wearing a white t-shirt and dark colored sweatpants.

Anyone with information about this incident is encouraged to call the Homicide Unit at (619) 531-2293 or Crime Stoppers at (888) 580-8477.

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